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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Murakami et al.

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Application No. 09/941,972

Examiner: J. M. Reddick

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For: ADHESIVE COMPOSITION FOR  
SKIN AND ADHESIVE TAPE OR  
SHEET FOR SKIN COMPRISING THE  
COMPOSITION

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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